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AN ACT

To repeal sections 542.276, 590.050 and 650.120, RSMo, and to enact in lieu thereof three new sections relating to Internet sex crimes investigation grant program.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Missouri, as follows:

Section A. Sections 542.276, 590.050 and 650.120, RSMo, are repealed

- 2 and three new sections enacted in lieu thereof, to be known as sections 542.276,
- 3 590.050 and 650.120, to read as follows:
 - 542.276. 1. Any peace officer or prosecuting attorney may make
- 2 application under section 542.271 for the issuance of a search warrant.
- 3 2. The application shall:
- 4 (1) Be in writing;
- 5 (2) State the time and date of the making of the application;
- 6 (3) Identify the property, article, material, substance or person which is
- 7 to be searched for and seized, in sufficient detail and particularity that the officer
- 8 executing the warrant can readily ascertain it;
- 9 (4) Identify the person, place, or thing which is to be searched, in
- 10 sufficient detail and particularity that the officer executing the warrant can
- 11 readily ascertain whom or what he or she is to search;
- 12 (5) State facts sufficient to show probable cause for the issuance of a
- 13 search warrant;
- 14 (6) Be verified by the oath or affirmation of the applicant;
- 15 (7) Be filed in the proper court;
- 16 (8) Be signed by the prosecuting attorney of the county where the search
- 17 is to take place, or his or her designated assistant.

EXPLANATION—Matter enclosed in bold-faced brackets [thus] in this bill is not enacted and is intended to be omitted in the law.

- 3. The application may be supplemented by a written affidavit verified by oath or affirmation. Such affidavit shall be considered in determining whether there is probable cause for the issuance of a search warrant and in filling out any deficiencies in the description of the person, place, or thing to be searched or of
- additional to the description of the person, place, of thing to be scarched of the
- 22 the property, article, material, substance, or person to be seized. Oral testimony
- 23 shall not be considered. The application may be submitted by facsimile or other
- 24 electronic means.
- 25 4. The judge shall determine whether sufficient facts have been stated to
- 26 justify the issuance of a search warrant. If it appears from the application and
- 27 any supporting affidavit that there is probable cause to believe that property,
- 28 article, material, substance, or person subject to seizure is on the person or at the
- 29 place or in the thing described, a search warrant shall immediately be
- 30 issued. The warrant shall be issued in the form of an original and two copies.
- 5. The application and any supporting affidavit and a copy of the warrant
- 32 shall be retained in the records of the court from which the warrant was issued.
- 33 6. The search warrant shall:
- 34 (1) Be in writing and in the name of the state of Missouri;
- 35 (2) Be directed to any peace officer in the state;
- 36 (3) State the time and date the warrant is issued;
- 37 (4) Identify the property, article, material, substance or person which is
- 38 to be searched for and seized, in sufficient detail and particularity that the officer
- 39 executing the warrant can readily ascertain it;
- 40 (5) Identify the person, place, or thing which is to be searched, in
- 41 sufficient detail and particularity that the officer executing the warrant can
- 42 readily ascertain whom or what he or she is to search;
- 43 (6) Command that the described person, place, or thing be searched and
- 44 that any of the described property, article, material, substance, or person found
- 45 thereon or therein be seized or photographed or copied and within ten days after
- 46 filing of the application, any photographs or copies of the items may be filed with
- 47 the issuing court;
- 48 (7) Be signed by the judge, with his or her title of office indicated.
- 49 7. A search warrant issued under this section may be executed only by a
- 50 peace officer. The warrant shall be executed by conducting the search and
- 51 seizure commanded. The search warrant issued under this section may be issued
- 52 by facsimile or other electronic means.
- 53 8. A search warrant shall be executed as soon as practicable and shall

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expire if it is not executed and the return made within ten days after the date of 55 the making of the application. A search and any subsequent searches of the contents of any property, article, material, or substance seized and 56 removed from the location of the execution of any search warrant 57 during its execution may be conducted at any time during or after the 58execution of the warrant, subject to the continued existence of probable 59 cause to search the property, article, material, or substance seized and 60 removed. A search and any subsequent searches of the property, 61 article, material, or substance seized and removed may be conducted 62 after the time for delivering the warrant, return, and receipt to the 63 64 issuing judge has expired. A supplemental return and receipt shall be delivered to the issuing judge upon final completion of any search 65 66 which concludes after the expiration of time for delivering the original return and receipt. 67

- 9. After execution of the search warrant, the warrant with a return thereon, signed by the officer making the search, shall be delivered to the judge who issued the warrant. The return shall show the date and manner of execution, what was seized, and the name of the possessor and of the owner, when he or she is not the same person, if known. The return shall be accompanied by a copy of the itemized receipt required by subsection 6 of section 542.291. The judge or clerk shall, upon request, deliver a copy of such receipt to the person from whose possession the property was taken and to the applicant for the warrant.
 - 10. A search warrant shall be deemed invalid:
- 78 (1) If it was not issued by a judge; or
- 79 (2) If it was issued without a written application having been filed and 80 verified; or
 - (3) If it was issued without probable cause; or
- 82 (4) If it was not issued in the proper county; or
- 83 (5) If it does not describe the person, place, or thing to be searched or the 84 property, article, material, substance, or person to be seized with sufficient 85 certainty; or
 - (6) If it is not signed by the judge who issued it; or
- 87 (7) If it was not executed within the time prescribed by subsection 8 of 88 this section.
 - 590.050. 1. The POST commission shall establish requirements for the

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2 continuing education of all peace officers. Peace officers who make traffic stops
3 shall be required to receive [annual training] three hours of training within
4 the law enforcement continuing education three-year reporting period
5 concerning the prohibition against racial profiling and such training shall
6 promote understanding and respect for racial and cultural differences and the use
7 of effective, noncombative methods for carrying out law enforcement duties in a
8 racially and culturally diverse environment.

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- 9 2. The director shall license continuing education providers and may 10 probate, suspend and revoke such licenses upon written notice stating the reasons 11 for such action. Any person aggrieved by a decision of the director pursuant to 12 this subsection may appeal as provided in chapter 536, RSMo.
- 3. The costs of continuing law enforcement education shall be reimbursed in part by moneys from the peace officer standards and training commission fund created in section 590.178, subject to availability of funds, except that no such funds shall be used for the training of any person not actively commissioned or employed by a county or municipal law enforcement agency.
- 4. The director may engage in any activity intended to further the professionalism of peace officers through training and education, including the provision of specialized training through the department of public safety.
- 650.120. 1. There is hereby created in the state treasury the "Cyber Crime Investigation Fund". The treasurer shall be custodian of the fund and may approve disbursements from the fund in accordance with sections 30.170 and 30.180, RSMo. Beginning with the 2010 fiscal year and in each subsequent fiscal year, the general assembly shall appropriate three million dollars to the cyber crime investigation fund. The department of public safety shall be the administrator of the fund. Moneys in the fund shall be used solely for the administration of the grant program established under this section. Notwithstanding the provisions of section 33.080, RSMo, to the contrary, any moneys 10 remaining in the fund at the end of the biennium shall not revert to the 11 credit of the general revenue fund. The state treasurer shall invest 12moneys in the fund in the same manner as other funds are 13 invested. Any interest and moneys earned on such investments shall be 14 credited to the fund. 15
- 2. Subject to appropriation, the department of public safety shall create a program to distribute grants to multijurisdictional Internet cyber crime law

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enforcement task forces, multijurisdictional enforcement groups, as defined in 18 19 section 195.503, RSMo, that are investigating Internet sex crimes against children, and other law enforcement agencies. The program shall be funded 20 21by the cyber crime investigation fund created under subsection 1 of this section. Not more than three percent of the money [appropriated] in the 2223fund may be used by the department to pay the administrative costs of the grant program. The grants shall be awarded and used to pay the salaries of detectives 24and computer forensic personnel whose focus is investigating Internet sex crimes 25against children, including but not limited to enticement of a child, possession or 26 promotion of child pornography, provide funding for the training of law 2728 enforcement personnel and prosecuting and circuit attorneys as well as their assistant prosecuting and circuit attorneys, and purchase necessary 29 equipment, supplies, and services. The funding for such training may be used to 30 cover the travel expenses of those persons participating. 31

- [2.] 3. A panel is hereby established in the department of public safety to award grants under this program and shall be comprised of the following members:
 - (1) The director of the department of public safety, or his or her designee;
- 36 (2) Two members shall be appointed by the director of the department of 37 public safety from a list of six nominees submitted by the Missouri Police Chiefs 38 Association;
- 39 (3) Two members shall be appointed by the director of the department of 40 public safety from a list of six nominees submitted by the Missouri Sheriffs' 41 Association;
- 42 (4) Two members of the state highway patrol shall be appointed by the 43 director of the department of public safety from a list of six nominees submitted 44 by the Missouri State Troopers Association;
- 45 (5) One member of the house of representatives who shall be appointed 46 by the speaker of the house of representatives; and
- 47 (6) One member of the senate who shall be appointed by the president pro 48 tem.
- The panel members who are appointed under subdivisions (2), (3), and (4) of this subsection shall serve a four-year term ending four years from the date of expiration of the term for which his or her predecessor was appointed. However, a person appointed to fill a vacancy prior to the expiration of such a term shall be appointed for the remainder of the term. Such members shall hold office for

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- the term of his or her appointment and until a successor is appointed. The members of the panel shall receive no additional compensation but shall be eligible for reimbursement for mileage directly related to the performance of panel duties.
- [3.] 4. Local matching amounts, which may include new or existing funds or in-kind resources including but not limited to equipment or personnel, are required for multijurisdictional Internet cyber crime law enforcement task forces and other law enforcement agencies to receive grants awarded by the panel. Such amounts shall be determined by the state appropriations process or by the panel.
- [4.] 5. When awarding grants, priority should be given to newly hired detectives and computer forensic personnel.
- [5.] 6. The panel shall establish minimum training standards for detectives and computer forensic personnel participating in the grant program established in subsection 1 of this section.
- [6.] 7. Multijurisdictional Internet cyber crime law enforcement task forces and other law enforcement agencies participating in the grant program established in subsection [1] 2 of this section shall share information and cooperate with the highway patrol and with existing Internet crimes against children task force programs.
- 73 [7.] 8. The panel may make recommendations to the general assembly regarding the need for additional resources or appropriations.
 - [8.] 9. The power of arrest of any peace officer who is duly authorized as a member of a multijurisdictional Internet cyber crime law enforcement task force shall only be exercised during the time such peace officer is an active member of such task force and only within the scope of the investigation on which the task force is working. Notwithstanding other provisions of law to the contrary, such task force officer shall have the power of arrest, as limited in this subsection, anywhere in the state and shall provide prior notification to the chief of police of a municipality or the sheriff of the county in which the arrest is to take place. If exigent circumstances exist, such arrest may be made and notification shall be made to the chief of police or sheriff as appropriate and as soon as practical. The chief of police or sheriff may elect to work with the multijurisdictional Internet cyber crime law enforcement task force at his or her option when such task force is operating within the jurisdiction of such chief of police or sheriff.
 - [9.] 10. Under section 23.253, RSMo, of the Missouri sunset act:
- 89 (1) The provisions of the new program authorized under this section shall

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90 sunset automatically six years after June 5, 2006, unless reauthorized by an act91 of the general assembly; and

- (2) If such program is reauthorized, the program authorized under this section shall sunset automatically twelve years after the effective date of the reauthorization of this section; and
- 95 (3) This section shall terminate on September first of the calendar year 96 immediately following the calendar year in which the program authorized under 97 this section is sunset.

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